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JAPAN REVISING HER TREATIES

General Carter Planning an Invasion of Mexico.

DEMAND FOR MORE RECRUITS

Six or Seven Thousand Additional Men Will Be Added to the Army as Fast as Possible—Member of Rebel Junta Urges Madero to Achieve Decisive Victory, as United States May Intervene About May 1.

San Antonio, Tex., March 24.—With the new demand for six or seven thousand recruits, the issuance of an order by General Carter making provisions for a sudden move, should it be required, and a statement by Dr. C. F. Caricristi, one of the dominant figures in the Mexican revolutionary junta, that the United States would intervene in Mexico unless there was a definite show of tranquillity by May 1. the reecntly diminished war cloud looks larger.

Dr. Caricristi felt sure enough of his facts to embody them in a report to Francisco I Madero, the revolutionary leader, who at the last report was within thirty miles of the city of Chihuahua. Dr. Caricristi urged the insurecto chief to achieve a decisive victory at all costs by May 1, for, he wrote, President Taft will not wait longer than that for quiet to be restored, business resumed and traffic over the railroads to be secure.

Dr. Caricristi is one of the directing minds of the revolutionary junta, is a lawyer, a physician and world traveler, probably their best trained diplomat. The letter is not an order, for Madero is the superior and supreme leader, but is in the nature of a report on the meaning of the mobilization of American troops at Fort Sam Houston.

Most of Dr. Caricristi's investigating was done at Washington, although he has been on the ground at El Paso and Laredo and is at present in this city.

PREPARE FOR FIELD SERVICE

General Carter Issues Warlike Order to the Troops.

San Antonio, Tex., March 24.—General Carter has issued the following order:

"Under instructions from the war department the base for the division has been established at Fort Sam Houston, Tex., under direction of Brigadier General Joseph W. Duncan. The property accountability of officers belonging to the division will be limited to the articles of equipment and supply which are to actually accompany the division in 'field service.' Organization commanders will see that the transfer of property necessary to meet this condition is made to the proper officers of the base with as little delay as possible. No articles of tentage equipment for transportation not provided for in field service regulations will be allowed transportation in event that the division is ordered to take the field.

"At present the division will be regarded as in a permanent camp, prepared to move with field service allowance only. For practice marches authorized tentage and permanent camp equipment will be left in camp with proper guard to insure its protection. Should orders be given moving the division from this permanent camp, orders will be issued from these headquarters for the disposition of the authorized camp tentage and equipment which need not at present be transferred to the base of supply officer."

WILL BE HELD AS HOMICIDES

Madero Threatens Those Connected With Suspending Constitution.

Washington, March 24.—All persons in any way connected with the promulgation or enforcement of the recent suspension of constitutional guarantees by the Mexican government will be held personally responsible as homicides by the insurgent government, according to a decree of Francisco I. Madero, the provisional president, issued through his representative here, Dr. Vazquez Gomez.

The decree sets forth that the suspension of constitutional guarantees as affecting the safety of human life is not lawful, according to article 29 of the Mexican constitution, which provides for tne suspension of constitutional guarantees in all cases except those in which human life is at stake.

ST. PAUL ITALIANS IN DUEL

Two Taken to Hospital in Serious Condition.

St. Paul, March 24.—A pistol and knife duel took place between four Italians. Gito Guancostoro and another man were wounded. One was shot in the neck and the other was stabbed close to the heart and cut about the shoulders. The injured men are at the city hospital.

Nic Nitti and another Italian, who declines to give his name, are under arrest. Nitti had a revolver with five empty cartridges in it when the police got him. It is said at the hospital that neither of the wounded men will die.

COWAN'S TRIAL OPENS TUESDAY

North Dakota Jurist Prepares to Fight Impeachment.

BUSY GATHERING EVIDENCE

Principal Work Being Done Is in Securing Information on Cases in Court in Which it Is Contended He Has Failed to Give Decisions Promptly—Many Cases Are Old and Facts Difficult to Obtain.

Devils Lake, N. D., March 24.—Next Tuesday when the trial of Judge John Cowan before the state senate opens at Bismarck it will be found that the Second district will be well represented at the state capitol. The exodus of attorneys, witnesses and others interested will commence Sunday evening.

Judge Cowan has been spending most of the time in the district since his impeachment. He has been working hard gathering evidence in his own defense, as are his attorneys, Tracy Bangs of Grand Forks and P. J. McClory of this city. The latter is a former law partner of the jurist who is on trial. He is also mayor of the city of Devils Lake at the present time, having defeated Fred Traynor, one of the men who was at Bismarck during the recent session of the legislative assembly working for the impeachment of Cowan.

The principal work being done by Judge Cowan is in gaining information on the cases in court in which it is contended that he has failed to give decisions promptly. Many of the cases in which charges have been made extend back a goodly number of years and it is sometimes quite difficult to get at the exact facts in the cases at this time.

Court records will be found in the evidence to be introduced at Bismarck and they will form a very large part of the evidence. These records, it is claimed, will be brought in from every county in the district.

For the prosecution, Attorney E. R. Sinkler of Minot, formerly of Grafton, has been engaged to assist George A. Bangs. The associate council has gained considerable prominence in criminal courts of the state within the last few years. Three years ago he was a candidate for congress, running independent for the Republican nomination, but he failed to land.

MILLIONAIRE FOUND GUILTY

W. P. Harrison Convicted of Using Mails to Defraud.

Cincinnati, March 24.—William P. Harrison, millionaire head of the World Manufacturing company and several subsidiary concerns, was found guilty in the United States court of using the mails to defraud. The conviction is one of the first growing out of recent raids made by Postmaster General Hitchcock in connection with the department of justice in an effort to break up fraudulent concerns. Harrison is alleged in his literature to have misrepresented a vacuum carpet cleaner which he sold through the mails. He was convicted in seven counts in two indictments that make possible a total prison sentence of thirty-five years, or fines on each count from $1,000 to $5,000. The cases will be appealed.

THIRTY-NINE HORSES PERISH

Incendiary Fire Destroys Milwaukee Livery Stable.

Milwaukee, March 24.—A fire, evidently incendiary, in the livery stable of Arthur Manger, on National avenue, destroyed the stable and thirty-nine horses were burned. The night before the stable of J. C. James, a contractor, whose barns were only five blocks from the scene of this fire, was visited by a man who horribly slsahed the horses with a knife. Five horses were so cruelly cut that they had to be shot and the stranger was still busy when interrupted by the barn foreman. The police believe the same man set the fire.

Hangs Himself From Tree.

Grand Forks, N. D., March 24.—Adjusting a rope about his neck and tying the other end about a strong limb of a tree Knute Hustdeds, aged thirty-five, committed suicide. His body was found on the outskirts of the city by two small boys.

Carpenter Is Electrocuted.

Deadwood, S. D., March 24.—While making repairs at the plant of the Consolidated Power and Light company at Pluma, Carl Hultzman, a carpenter, aged thirty years, brought a crowbar in contact with high current wires and received 11,000 volts. He was killed instantly.

An Expensive Habit.

When you borrow trouble you'll find the rate of interest pretty high.—Atchison Globe.

AMBASSADOR UCHIDA.

Declares Japan Attaches No Importance to War Stories.

TAFT REGRETS WAR STORIES

Ambassador Says Japan Attaches No Importance to Them.

Washington, March 24.—President Taft had a cordial interview with the Japanese ambassador, Baron Uchida. The president sent for the baron to felicitate with him upon the ratification of the new treaty between this country and Japan.

President Taft expressed pleasure at the opportunity to set at rest the stories which have been published during the last two weeks that back of the administration's action in sending troops to the Mexican border was a motive of precaution against some expected treacherous act by Japan.

He expressed regret that such "malicious stories," as he called them, should gain circulation.

Baron Uchida is said to have assured the president that he attached no importance to the reports and had discovered that they emanated from irresponsible sources.

CINCINNATI BOSS GETS INJUNCTION

Prevents Judge From Proceeding With Perjury Trial.

Cincinnati, March 24.—Attorneys for George B. Cox won a complete victory in a fight that has been waged in three courts here during the last four days when the circuit court temporarily enjoined Judge Frank M. Gorman of the criminal branch of the common pleas court from proceeding in trying Cox on the charge of perjury.

The injunction is designed to prevent Gorman from taking up the case until the circuit court decides a mandamus proceeding against Presiding Judge Charles J. Hunt, which endeavors to compel him to rule as to whether an affidavit by Cox alleging that Judge Gorman is "biased and prejudiced" is sufficient to remove the case from Gorman's court.

GREENE'S OATH IS ACCEPTED

Long Drawn Out Case in Atlanta Results in Prisoner's Freedom.

Atlanta, Ga., March 24.—Benjamin D. Greene, who, with John F. Gaynor, has just completed a four-year term in the federal prison here for complicity in the Savannah harbor improvement frauds several years ago, walked out of the federal building a free man, bringing to a close, so far as he is concerned, a legal battle that has commanded attention for a decade.

Greene's application for leave to take the pauper's oath, in order to escape further liabilities for the $575,000 fine imposed on the two men when they were convicted, was granted by United States Commissioner Walter Colquitt, after a hearing which lasted two days.

NEW HIGH PRICE FOR BARLEY

Scarcity of Grain Pushes Ruling Figure Up to $1.19.

Chicago, March 24.—Barley made an entirely new high price record in Chicago. Up to $1.13 a bushel was paid. The rise reached 2 to 4 cents, making a total gain of more than 20 cents in the last couple of weeks.

Scarcity of the grain has developed sharp competition between malsters and brought about a boom excelling anything of the kind previously known in the trade.

NEGROES REACH THEIR GOAL

Oklahoma Emigrants Passed by Canadian Medical Authorities.

Winnipeg, Man., March 24.—The party of negro immigrants from Oklahoma who have been detained at Emerson for the past two days were successfully passed by the Canadian medical inspector and left Emerson for Winnipeg.

They will be rushed forward to Edmonton with their effects without delay.

One recruit that joined them in St. Paul was rejected and sent back.

TO PUSH COLD STORAGE BILL.

Special Session to Take Up Supplement to Pure Food.

HEYBURN IS BEHIND MEASURE

Many Claim That Bill Overlooked by Senate at Last Session Will Reduce Price of Food—Democrats to Inform Themselves About Roosevelt Administration.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, March 24.—[Special.]—In the closing days of congress a very important report was made to the senate. It did not attract very much attention and was almost buried in the more important matters that crowded the end of the session. It was a report upon food in cold storage prepared by Senator Heyburn of Idaho.

Accompanying the report was a bill which provides that food products entering into interstate commerce cannot be retained in cold storage longer than the time specified, as follows: Beef seven months, veal four months, pork four months, sheep four months, lambs three months, poultry three months, game three months, fish three months, eggs three months, butter three months. Provision is made for bringing the foods under the pure food law. The bill and report were the result of a long inquiry conducted by the committee on manufactures, of which Heyburn is chairman.

Heyburn Is Persistent.

Of course there was no opportunity to consider the bill or report, as it was only presented March 3, the day before the adjournment. But Heyburn is not the sort of man that works out a problem of that kind for buncombe or mere display. He means business.

Heyburn has the credit of putting the pure food law through. He never lets go of anything he has in hand until it has been completed. Unless the bill is killed in the house it means that a cold storage law will supplement the pure food law. One of the strongest factors behind the cold storage bill is the claim that it will reduce the price of food products and insure more healthful food for the people.

Interrogation Points.

After the house passes the Canadian reciprocity bill and perhaps one or more tariff bills there will be quite a lot of leisure, which the Democrats intend to utilize in "going through the departments with a fine tooth comb," to use the expression of one of them. Unless all signs fail the new house will bristle with interrogation points. Not only will the present management of the departments be the subject of inquiry, but it is the intention to reach back into the Roosevelt administration and question officials as to the manner in which the government has been conducted for the past decade.

Would Welcome Buffalo Bill.

The newspaper correspondents would welcome Buffalo Bill in the senate. He would certainly make a number of good paragraphs. For two years there was talk about sending Roosevelt from New York and Bryan from Nebraska to the senate, and I remarked at the time that the newspaper men could not expect any such luck as that. The same is true as regards Buffalo Bill. It won't happen.

Buffalo Bill has a double, or at least there is a senator who looks very much like Colonel Cody used to look before he became well along in years. Senator Briggs of New Jersey has much the same cast of countenance and wears a goatee in much the same manner as did Buffalo Bill when he became familiar to the world.

Smoke and Chew.

The daily consular reports have recently published information and statistics which will give the anti-tobacco people an opportunity to renew the fight against its use. The consumption of tobacco in the world for the last fiscal year was 1,883,399,548 pounds.

All the world uses tobacco. There is no place, either in civilized or savage countries, where the people do not smoke, chew or use snuff. Dutchmen are the greatest consumers, the consumption being 7.5 pounds per capita in the Netherlands. The English use the least, as two pounds per capita are sufficient for the United Kingdom. The consumption in the United States is 5.7 pounds per capita.

Would Change the Rules.

The first thing that strikes a new senator is the antiquated method of the senate in securing a vote. All measures of importance are voted upon by unanimous consent. "Change the rules," says Senator Pomerine of Ohio. That is what many another man has said as he entered upon his term of office.

I never knew but one man to hold that opinion throughout his term. That was Stephen White of California. He referred to "these silurian epigrams miscalled the rules of the senate" and always thought they should be changed so that no one man or set of men could talk a measure to death.

Billy Mason, for six years a senator from Illinois, held to the opinion that the rules should be changed nearly all his term, but changed his mind when in the closing days of his career he talked a measure to death. In all probability Pomerine will change his mind before he has long been a senator.

One virtue will efface many vices; one vice will efface many virtues.—Balzac.

ROBERT BACON.

Ambassador Confers With Taft Regarding Treaty With France.

TAFT CONFERS WITH BACON

Meeting May Mean Opening of Treaty Negotiations With France.

Washington, March 24.—Robert Bacon, the American ambassador to France, had an interview with President Taft and, later, was a luncheon guest at the White House. His visit was given an additional interest at this time owing to the fact that there is a general belief here that negotiations soon may be opened between the United States and France looking to the adoption of an arbitration treaty similar to the one that has been proposed between the United States and Great Britain.

Such a treaty would provide for the submission of all matters in dispute between the two countries, even including those of national honor and territory, to an arbitral court, and would make war practically impossible.

LOCATORS DEMUR TO INDICTMENTS

Charged With Conspiracy to Defraud Government.

Spokane, Wash., March 24.—Arguments began before United States District Judge Rudkin on a demurrer to the indictments returned by a federal grand jury last fall against the locators of the so called Doughton group of coal claims in the Kayak district of Alaska.

Harry White, ex-mayor of Seattle; Charles A. McKinzie, a Seattle promoter; Donald A. McKinzie of Washington, D. C.; Raymond Brown and William A. Nunn of Spokane and Charles M. Doughton of Pearson, Wash., are charged with conspiring to defraud the government out of 20,000 acres of coal land valued by United States experts at from $25,000,000 to $50,000,000.

If the demurrer is sustained it will have no effect whatever on the Detroit, Chicago and Seattle cases, land officials say, and will mean only that the Doughton indctment is faulty. It is announced that if the demurrer is sustained the government will ask for a new indictment.

ERBSTEIN FOUND NOT GUILTY

Attorney's Case Ends Litigation Started Over Lorimer Election.

Chicago, March 24.—Attorney Charles E. Erbstein and Arthur McBride, who for two weeks have been on trial on charge of conspiracy to defame State's Attorney Wayman, were found not guilty by a jury which was out less than an hour.

The case grew out of an affidavit filed by McBride with the Chicago Bar association in which McBride charged that State's Attorney Wayman had told him to "fix" a juror in a criminal case in 1908 in which Wayman appeared as counsel for the defense.

Wayman charged Erbstein with having conspired with McBride to file the charges.

The case resulted from the second trial of Lee O'Neill Browne, charged with bribery in the election of United States Senator William Lorimer.

Lawmaker Fails to Apologize.

St. Paul, March 24.—F. L. Klemer of Rice county, who charged that the house committees were packed in favor of special interests, changed his mind and failed to apologize. A special committee is considering the case and he may be expelled from the house.

CREATE GREAT EXCITEMENT

Two Explosions Occur in Omaha's New Courthouse.

Omaha, March 24.—Two explosions in the basement of the new million-dollar courthouse created considerable excitement and brought out the police reserves.

Windows were shattered in building two blocks away and considerable other damage was done.

The building is being constructed with nonunion labor and there has been trouble ever since it was started in 1909.

A Clear Course.

"She says that he is a man after her own heart." "Then I suppose he will get it."—Judge.

PREPARING FOR SUDDEN MOVE

KILLED BY DISC HARROW

Breaking of Seat Throws Farmer Onto the Knives.

Aberdeen, S. D., March 24.—In the roadway in a pool of blood within a few yards of his team hitched to a disc harrow, from which he had fallen when the seat broke, the body of Roy Gould, aged twenty-three, a farmer living six miles south of Stratford, was found with an artery of his left foot severed. He had bled to death. Gould, who lives with his mother, Mrs. Mina Gould, left the night before for Mansfield to buy a disc harrow. His mother was away visiting and the hired man, supposing Gould would stay in town over night, made no investigation when he did not come home.

In the morning, not having arrived, search was made. His team of four horses was found tangled up in the harness a distance away from the body of Gould. The seat from the machine had apparently broken off and the driver was precipitated on to the knives, which had cut an artery and lacerated his body terribly.

MRS. CLEVELAND NOT TO WED

Editor of Society Paper Admits His Error.

New York, March 24.—S. S. Hastings, executor of the estate of the late Grover Cleveland and in charge of Mrs. Cleveland's personal affairs, issued the following statement:

"The paragraph appearing in one of the weekly society publications suggesting that there is an engagement of marriage between Mrs. Grover Cleveland and Professor West of Princeton is not only without the slightest foundation, but is fully refuted by the fact that Dean West already has a wife living and their son is a student in Princeton university."

The publisher of the society paper in question said that he regretted exceedingly that an error had crept into print and that he wished it announced immediately that a serious mistake had been made.

LESSONS TOO HARD FOR BOY

Kills Himself Because He Could Not Keep Up in Studies.

Chicago, March 24.—Tired of trying to learn lessons that would not stay in his head William Shiel, the fifteen-year-old son of a Lake Forest contractor, killed himself with a revolver, a gift from his father.

The boy, although diligent, was backward in school and had dropped behind others of his own age. He played "hookey" for the first time and when the unexpected absence caused a search his body was found.

He left a note to his father, saying: "I couldn't get along at school. I tried my best and I couldn't learn. The other boys and girls did their lessons, but they were too much for me. Don't blame teacher."

Killed by Lamp Explosion.

Kensett, Ia., March 24.—Placing a lamp on a hot stove caused an explosion which threw the kerosene over the clothing of Mrs. Samuel Rassmussen. Immediately her clothing caught on fire and despite all efforts she was so badly burned that she died.

Girl Scalped in Laundry Dead.

Fargo, N. D., March 24.—After having her scalp torn from her head, when her hair caught in a mangle in a laundry in this city, Bessie Thorud, whose home is near Kathryn, N. D., died at a local hospital. Death came as a result of lockjaw.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, March 23.—Wheat—May, 96⅞c; July, 98¼@98⅜c; Sept., 96⅞c. On track—No. 1 hard, 98⅞c; No. 1 Northern, 97@98⅜c; No. 2 Northern, 94⅝@96⅜c; No. 3 Northern, 92⅝@95⅜c.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, March 23.—Wheat—To arrive and on track—No. 1 hard, 98⅜c; No. 1 Northern, 98⅜c; No. 2 Northern, 94⅜@95⅜c; May, 97⅞c; July, 98⅜c. Flax—On track and to arrive, $2.53; May, $2.52.

St. Paul Live Stock.

St. Paul, March 23.—Cattle—Good to choice steers, $5.50@6.25; fair to good, $5.00@5.50; good to choice cows and heifers, $4.50@5.25; veals, $5.00@6.00. Hogs—$6.40@6.65. Sheep—Wethers, $4.25@5.00; yearlings, $4.25@5.35; spring lambs, $5.00@6.10.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, March 23.—Wheat—May, 89⅞c; July, 89⅜c; Sept., 89½c. Corn—May, 48¼@48⅜c; July, 49¾@49⅞c; Sept., 50⅞c. Oats—May, 30⅞c; July, 30¾@30⅞c; Sept., 30¾@30⅞c. Pork—May, $16.45; July, $16.00. Butter—Creameries, 15@24c; dairies, 14@20c. Eggs—13½@15½c. Poultry—Turkeys, 18c; chickens, 14½c; springs, 15c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, March 23.—Cattle—Beeves, $5.20@6.75; Texas steers, $4.50@5.65; Western steers, $4.80@5.80; stockers and feeders, $4.00@5.80; cows and heifers, $2.65@5.90; calves, $5.25@7.50. Hogs—Light, $6.80@7.15; mixed, $6.65@7.10; heavy, $6.45@6.90; rough, $6.45@6.65; good to choice heavy, $6.65@6.90; pigs, $6.60@7.10. Sheep—Native, $3.10@5.25; yearlings, $4.75@5.60; lambs, $5.00@6.50.

May Have Given Notice of Abrogation to Mexico.

NO SIGNIFICANCE ATTACHED

Dispatch From Mexico City Says That Out of Deference to the United States Japan Has Terminated Her Agreement With Mexico—Washington Officials Attach No Importance to the Incident.

Washington, March 24.—A flutter of interest was added to the Mexican situation by the publication here of a dispatch from Mexico City stating that out of deference to this country Mexico, with the consent of Japan, has abrogated the Japanese treaty.

Inquiry at the White House and the Mexican and Japanese embassies brings the information that the only Mexican-Japanese treaty in existence is the usual treaty of amity and commerce, negotiated in 1886 and ratified in 1889, which may be terminated by either party on six months' notice.

As Japan is revising all of its treaties with foreign countries it is said that no significance can be attached to the fact, should Japan have approached Mexico with the view to revising the existing treaty between the two countries.

Overshadowing every other development in the past two days in the Mexican situation is the remarkable interview by Finance Minister Limantour in Mexico City, telling the public without sugar coating his words that there has grown up in Mexico between the people and the administration an antagonism that makes the crisis in Mexico far more serious than anything he had anticipated.

This interview followed what had been described as the longest meeting the Diaz cabinet has yet held. Among diplomats and officials in Washington, who have been following the Mexican situation, this bold declaration by Minister Limantour is regarded as cracking the whip over the heads of the whole Diaz administration. It is considered a statement which could be made only by a man within the government, who has nothing to fear from the government.

MADERO WILL KEEP UP WAR

Insurrecto Leader Unwilling to Quit While Diaz Rules.

Bisbee, Ariz., March 24.—"I will never stop fighting as long as Diaz is in power, or until we are granted free and unintimidated suffrage."

This is said to be the first public utterance of Francisco I. Madero, provisional president of Mexico, since it was reported that peace negotiations were under way.

C. Lynch, a refugee mining man from the Casas Grandes country, is authority for the quotation.

The assertion is said to have been made while Madero, Orozco and other insurgent leaders were guests at the home of a mine superintendent.

KILLS JOHNSON MEMORIAL

Senate Committee Defeats Bill for Statue for Late Governor.

St. Paul, March 24.—The senate finance committee killed Senator Benson's bill providing $20,000 for a statue of the late Governor Johnson over his grave at St. Peter.

The senate in committee of the whole recommended for passage Senator Moonan's bill providing for the submission of a constitutional amendment permitting the recall of state, legislative and county officials.

Thomas Kneeland's bill calling for a constitutional convention was favorably acted upon by the house in committee of the whole.

FREIGHT HOUSE DESTROYED

Rock Island Wareroom and Cars Burn at Council Bluffs.

Council Bluffs, Ia., March 24.—The freight house of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railroad at Sixteenth avenue and Sixth street was burned, together with eleven cars loaded with merchandise. The loss is estimated at $55,000.

Grand Trunk to Enter Minot.

Minot, N. D., March 24.—It was definitely announced that the Grand Trunk Pacific railway would run a line to Minot to connect with the Minot-Fargo cutoff of the Great Northern. The announcement was made by the president of the Commercial club, who returned from an interview with the officials of the company at Winnipeg. The Canadian road plans to lease the Crosby line of the Great Northern.

Ranch Hand Shoots Himself.

Butte, Mont., March 24.—Apparently to prevent identification of his remains a ranch hand named Peterson removed every stitch of his clothes, walked half a mile and stood in Belt creek, in the northern part of this state, and shot himself. Peterson's body was found by ranchmen. He had been dead several weeks.

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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

S. F. Alderman returned to Brainerd today.

Mrs. Frank E. Chase went to Crosby yesterday.

W. E. Brockway went to Sylvan this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T.R Foley, of Aitkin, visited in Brainerd today.

Mrs. C. Hougstad is at present in St. Paul visiting her brother.

William Gustafson and Oscar Magnuson left today for Minneapolis.

Marriage license, March 23, 1911—Edward Lavaas to Anna Mattson.

Get your automobile goggles at McColl's. 251-1t

C. W. Barrows went to the twin cities on a business trip this afternoon.

Dance Moilanen hall Sat'y. night. Tickets 25c. Ladies free. 250t2

E. A. Lamb, the Deerwood real estate and mining man, is in the city today.

New wall paper and good paper hangers. Will Curtis, 306 S. 8th St. 240tf

Mrs. John W. Curr, of Hackensack, passed through the city today on her way to Sylvan.

Dr. J. L. Camp returned this afternoon from a lengthy stay at Mt. Clemens, Mich.

See the Maxim silencer for rifles at King's. 231tf

Mrs. G. W. Vanderslice, of St. Paul, arrived today to visit Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Ingersoll.

W. H. Mantor returned this noon from Walker where he transacted professional business.

Schmidt's bottle beer, famous for quality. Order a case. Telephone 164. John Coates Liquor Co. 208-tf

Rev W. S. Tracy, who has been visiting his daughter, left today for his home at Santiago.

Only three more days of our closing out sale on sheet music. Lot of good music left. Kimball Music Co.

Try our new patent rotary pump electric vacuum cleaner. We guarantee the work, we show the dirt. W. E. Lively, phone 261. 248t6

A bouncing baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Falkenreck on Tuesday morning, March 23, 1911.

Dr. Mervyn Purdy left today for Staples to examine a car load of horses destined for shipment to Canada.

You are invited to attend Mrs. Pearce's spring millinery opening Saturday afternoon, March 25th, at two o'clock.

All the latest creations in this display. 251-2

Rev. Engel, of the German Lutheraan church, went to Minneapolis this afternoon to meet his wife who is returning from a Sioux City, Ia., hospital.

Put your order in now for sewer and water lines. We guarantee our work. D. M. Clark & Co. 251-tf

Mrs. Elizabeth McDonough, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. John G. Smylie, went to Wheatley, N. D., this afternoon.

John Larson is local agent for Scott Briquets, a new and very economical fuel. A car load has just arrived. Send in an order and try it. 158-tf

The weather report reads: "Unsettled but generally fair tonight and Saturday. Warmer east portion tonight. Cooler Saturday."

ATTENTION LADIES

You are cordially invited to attend our Grand Millinery Opening on Monday, in our new department at L. M. Koop's.

General Manager W. H. Gemmell returned this noon from a trip to Bemidji. He reports the wind as blowing a gale in the upper country.

THINK OF IT—Fancy brick ice cream 25c at McColl's. 251-1

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church will have a cooking sale on Saturday afternoon, March 25th, at White's hardware store, on Laurel street.

Grand Millinery Opening on Monday, March 27th, at L. M. Koop's Dry Goods Store—New Department.

Miss Carrie L. Morrison has returned from Chicago where she attended the milliners' convention and secured in the city a supply of the latest style spring hats.

Store your stoves and household goods with D. M. Clark & Co. 251-tf

The Womens Christian Temperance Union will meet at Odd Fellows hall at three o'clock on Saturday afternoon and all members are requested to attend, as very important business is to be transacted.

At L. M. Koop's Millinery Parlors—have added a bright new and up-to-date line of Ladies', Misses' and Children's hats at reasonable prices.

C. I. McNair, superintendent of the Northwest Paper Co., of Cloquet, and H. Taylor were engaged in a lengthy conference this morning in the lobby of the Ransford hotel with J. M. Elder. Mr. McNair said it was just a business matter and the other gentlemen were equally secretive, so it is not known if the meeting had anything to do with the contemplated paper mill in Northeast Brainerd.

Get our estimate on plumbing and heating of all kinds. We are the lowest. D. M. Clark & Co. 251-tf

Department store managers of the twin cities are sending circular letters to the merchants of the smaller towns asking their assistance to kill a bill in the legislature which proposes to make it illegal to employ women over eight hours a day and forbids them working over this time. Some of the merchants of this city have received these letters and from the local sentiment shown, the twin city people will not get much assistance in Brainerd.

We can outfit your house complete, cheaper than any twin city house. Try us. D. M. Clark & Co. 251-tf

Bits of the Philosophy of Life

Every man needs more money. An hour comes into the lives of each of us when a sum of ready money means a long leap toward independence, or it means health—or even life itself. The resourceful man always backs up his energy by a steadily increasing bank account.

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Here is Your New Spring Suit or Coat

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Smart Wearing Apparel—A splendid and most comprehensive showing, surpassing all previous efforts. Our beautiful ready-to-wear section presents a most brilliant display of correct modes in tailored suits and coats, cleverly designed dresses and all the new pretty waists. Remember our store is your brightest and best Exclusive Little Shop—no red tape—no lottery with your sales—you select quality goods, you pay for what you want at lowest prices and we do not try to unload anything on you. Better stores do not cater to such methods of making sales.

Visit the store that serves you best.

The Geo. F. Murphy Co.

"The Store of Quality"

Coroner I. T. Dean was called to a farm four miles west of Brainerd yesterday where Gustus Pontolien, a Finnish widower, aged 62 years, had been found dead in bed by the neighbors. The coroner decided it was from natural causes as the deceased had been suffering from pneumonia. He had lived in this county over 15 years and leaves surviving a brother, who is working at the shops. The funeral will be held at two o'clock Saturday afternoon from the undertaking parlors of Losey & Dean.

THE GRAND

SPSCIAL NOTICE

Doors open tonight at 7. Performance starts 7:30 sharp. Second show 9:15. Three Big Vaudeville Acts—Two Feature Films.

Fire from a chimney is believed to have started the fire in the residence of C. W. Koering, at No. 1, Farrar street in Northeast Brainerd this afternoon. No one was in the house at the time and Mr. Koering was working in the back yard. An alarm was turned in at 2:30 p. m., which was promptly answered by the department. Chief McGinn was in charge and the fire was promptly checked and confined to the kitchen part The building has suffered probably $200 damages from fire and water and the loss is covered by insurance.

Mrs. Vogt, hair dresser from Duluth, will be in Brainerd next Tuesday, March 28. A good selection in switches and everything in the line of hair goods. Combings made into switches and puffs. Come and see me at the Ransford hotel at Brainerd. 251-3t

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c. tts

Idolatry Still Here

The congregation at the First Methodist church last night was largely composed of men, the message being delivered by the Rev. Chas. Fox Davis, who took as his theme, "The Church in Pergamos and Ours." The preacher drew a comparison between ancient idolatry and that of today, showing that idolatry up and down the ages simply changes its outward visible forms only. Said the speaker, "Gone the clusters of temples wherein Zeus, Applo, Aphrodite, Dionysius, Athene, Esculapius and a thousand other gods were worshiped; gone the gods of marble as worshipped in Athens, Rome and Egypt; but the spirit of a modern idolatry still reigns upon the earth. The modern form of idolatry takes on a more subtle form, hhat infuses poison into the blood, stains the whiteness of the soul and puts out the vision of the inner spiritual life. The modern idols are hidden oftentimes in the heart and among them are the love of society, selfishness, abnormal ambition, wealth, fashion, self-seeking—these are the expensive, ruinous, unfeeling idols of modern times."

The Rev. C. B. Hilton, the second speaker of the evening, severely arraigned the ways of modern society, and its utter uselessness in its efforts to right the wrongs, lift the burdens that oppress humanity. "The calls and ways of modern society allure far away from the high ideals laid down by the Christ, and are destructive of the soul's highest good," said Rev. Hilton. Mr. G. V. Small excellently sang, "The Ninety and Nine." The Rev. W. J. Lowrie will speak tonight on "The Church at Sardis and Ours," and there will be special music.

USE TODAY.

Today is the time to pursue fortune. The hour at hand is the one to make use of and the chances within our grasp those we should seize. "Tomorrow" is never here, and putting off the good we may have for a questionable future is not the best wisdom. Therefore use today. Do the kindness before you, the duty nearest you, and tomorrow will take care of itself.

LOST HIS UNCLE

Frank L. Johnson, of Toledo, Ohio, Asks Dispatch to Find His Uncle, Joe Johnson

The Dispatch is in receipt of a postal card dated February 8, 1911, and addressed "To the Editor of the Leading Newspaper in Cross Lake or Crow Wing County, Minn.," which, after considerable traveling, arrived at the Dispatch office. The communication reads:

"Will you kindly help me to locate my uncle, Mr. Joe Johnson? When last heard from he was in Cross Lake, Crow Wing county. It has been 10 years since I heard from him. Will you kindly help me through the columns of your paper? Thanking you in advance, I remain,

Yours respectfully,
FRANK L. JOHNSON,
836 George Street.

MANY DEER SEEN

Deputy Game Warden Saunders Sees Them in Bunches of Five and Six in Cass County

Deputy Game Warden J. P. Saunders has returned from an extensive trip through Cass county and was surprised to see the number of deer wandering about the country. They are exceddingly tame at this time of the year and allow a person to get within 25 to 50 yards of them.

They are particularly thick in the vicinity of the Pine Tree Manufacturing Co's. spur on the new Soo line.

The streams in the upper country are opening up but are very low. "In fact," said Mr. Saunders, "The water is at the lowest stage I have ever seen it in the last 25 years. Snow may be found in the deeper woods and in parts of Aitkin county it is a foot deep in township 53, range 26."

Lobsters.

To avoid buying lobsters which have been cooked and laid on ice until all their firmness and sweetness have been sacrificed lay the creature on its back and straighten out the tail. If when the tail is released it springs back into its normal curled position it may be considered fresh, but if it stays back and seems limp and flabby it is unfit for use.

The Cornetist's Teeth.

"Do you know the great dread of the cornetist?" said a cornet virtuoso. "I'll tell you, son—the loss of his teeth Worst thing that could happen to him. It means the end of his playing. No man can play the cornet with false teeth. When his own cuspids and canines are gone he loses his embouchure."—New York Press.

Discouragement.

"So you have quit laughing at your wife's hats?"

"Yes," replied Mr. Growcher. "The funnier they seem to me the more convinced she is that they must be correct in style."—Washington Star.

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A refined comedy of how a pretty girl got her picture in the film of a camera fiend who wouldn't rest until he wooed and won her.

"Eldora, The Fruit Girl"

A charming love story, dealing with the quaint characters around Mulberry Bend, New York's East Side and tenement district.

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Village Sends in Call for Help at Noon and a Special Engine is Dispatched

FIRE AT TIE PLANT LAST NIGHT

Starts in Pile of Bark and Burns Three Cars on the Siding in West Brainerd

The continued dry weather and abnormally dry condition of the ground is causing trouble in all parts of the county and near by.

At noon today Motley, a village twenty miles west of Brainerd, sent in a call for help and a special engine was immediately dispatched ahead of the passenger. Praire fires are menacing the town and the operator wired to save the cars on the mile siding in the town.

Trainmen and passengers on the noon Duluth train observed a prairie fire running along in the vicinity of the tracks about four miles east of Brainerd.

Fire starting in a pile of bark at the tie plant in West Brainerd last night communicated with three freight cars and destroyed them. Two cars were empty and one was partly loaded, containing 36 ties. This plant of the Northern Pacific railway has its own fire protection and prompt action with its own apparatus prevented a greater fire.

The river is very low and many streams in the country appear to have dried up entirely. The wind is blowing fiercely today and throwing up clouds of dust.

Fire still runs in sections of Platte Lake, Dagget Brook and Maple Grove townships and farmers at the Farmer's Institute today spoke of the courage and determination shown by their neighbors in their brave fight.

Cemetery Notice

Interment of bodies in Evergreen Cemetery Vault will commence April 1st. Parties interested can make arrangements with the superintendent, Chas. Behma, who can be seen at the Cemetery Grounds.

C. M. Patek,
Secretary.

Brainerd, Minn., March 22, 1911.

SCHOOL APPORTIONMENT

County Receives Its Apportionment From the State Amounting to $6,790.60

Crow Wing county has received its school apportionment money from the state amounting to $6,790.60, based on 3,574 pupils for the year ending July 31, 1910, as compiled by the then county superintendent of schools, J. A. Wilson, at the rate of $1.90 per pupil.

Brainerd, of course, draws the largest share, $3,454.20. The smallest money apportioned, $7.60, is to each of these districts: No's. 33, 74 and 97. Deerwood draws $199.50, Pequot $102.60. No. 4 of Oak Lawn township, $106.40. Jenkins or Dist. 66, $117.80; Crosby or Dist. 51, $30.40 and Cuyuna, or Dist. 104, $53.20.

PASSENGER TRAIN IS HELD UP

Special to The Dispatch:

Coffeyville, Kansas, March 24—For two hours last night six masked men held the St. Louis Iron Mountain & Southern passenger train, No. 104, at a standstill on the prairie about six miles south of this city while they blew open the safe in the express car and escaped in two automobiles, carrying with them money and valuables, which it is believed will amount to $20,000.

Notice of Dissolution

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Charles Peterson and Ole Benson in the livery stable business at 224 S. 4th St., City, has this day been dissolved. Ole Benson continues in the business at same location, and all outstanding accounts of the firm are payable to him.

Brainerd, Minn., March 21st, 1911.

CHARLES PETERSON,
249t3 OLE BENSON.

SOCIAL EVENTS

Miss Mae Belle Grewcox entertained at dinner last evening. The house was beautifully decorated and the table decorations were in harmony with the same. Covers were laid for ten.

FARMERS' INSTITUTE SESSION TODAY

President of the Commercial Club, Carl Zapffe, Welcomes the Farmers to the Meeting

SESSION IS IN GRAND THEATER

The Speakers Include Messrs. Chapman, McLeran and Bugbee—Many Farmers Present

The farmers' institute opened at ten o'clock this morning at the Grand theater and the house was comfortably filled with many farmers of the county accompanied by their wives and daughters.

President of the Commercial Club Carl Zapffe, welcomed the farmers to the meeting and paid tribute to the good work which these institutes are doing among rural communities. He introduced the speakers to the audience. His speech was greated with hearty applause.

F. B. McLeran, of Wrenshall, spoke on the possibilities of agriculture in northern Minnesota and also took up the subject of the dairy industry in a most comprehensive manner.

L. H. Bugbee, of Wrenshall, followed him and spoke on the fertility of the soil and the best means of maintaining the same.

The balance of the morning session was then devoted to answering the numerous questions of the audience, which, by this manifestation on its part, showed that the farmers took a most lively interest in the proceedings and had paid close attention to the speakers and the arguments they had advanced.

The afternoon session again drew a good audience. The first half hour of the session was devoted to answering questions.

Mr. McLeran, in answer to a question regarding the proper cultivation of corn, recommended that it be cultivated until the day it was cut. He spoke from personal experience and referred to a tract of 12 acres that he had planted with corn.

"Cultivate deep the first time," said the speaker. "Then when your corn has reached a height of four inches do not cultivate so deep. The roots of the corn are now beginning to cross one another below the surface and deep cultivation would destroy them. Use a finer cultivator, and later muzzle your horse, if necessary, and carry on your cultivation to the day you cut the corn."

A question regarding the lodging of spelz in rich bottom lands stumped both Mr. McLeran and Mr. Bugbee, and many in the audience took part in the discussion.

Mr. Bugbee spoke later on potatoes and the best way to raise them.

N. E. Chapman, of Owatonna, took up the subject of gardening and small fruits and interested his audience by the many telling points he made.

The first day closed with a general discusion on the feeding and caring for dairy cows.

This evening all farmers and their wives will attend the Grand theater which has put on an especially good bill of vaudeville and moving pictures which will be sure to interest the visitors.

WILL NOMINATE CRUST FOR MAYOR

Delegates are Selected and Aldermen Placed in Nomination in Each Ward in the City

THE SOCIALIST ORGANIZATION

Both Republicans and Socialists Will Name Ticket Tonight and Democrats Saturday

The ward caucuses of the republican and socialist parties were held in various parts of the city last evening and in each precinct complete organizations were perfected and tickets placed in the field. The socialists nominated but one candidate for the board of education.

The delegates elected to the republican city convention which meets at the court house tonight at 8 o'clock indicate that Edward Crust will be the nominee for mayor and that no other name will be mentioned.

It is understood that final decision has not yet been arrived at as to whether Mayor A. Ousdahl will receive a renomination from his party, or rather as to whether he will accept the honor, although the nomination of R. A. Henning as alderman from the Third ward would rather indicate that such is the case, provided they place a candidate in the field. The socialists city convention will be held this evening at the city hall.

The democrats hold their caucuses

(Continued on page four)

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You never saw our Bargain Basement when it showed you more bargains than there is displayed there today. We are showing a very large line of remnants of all kinds of piece goods.

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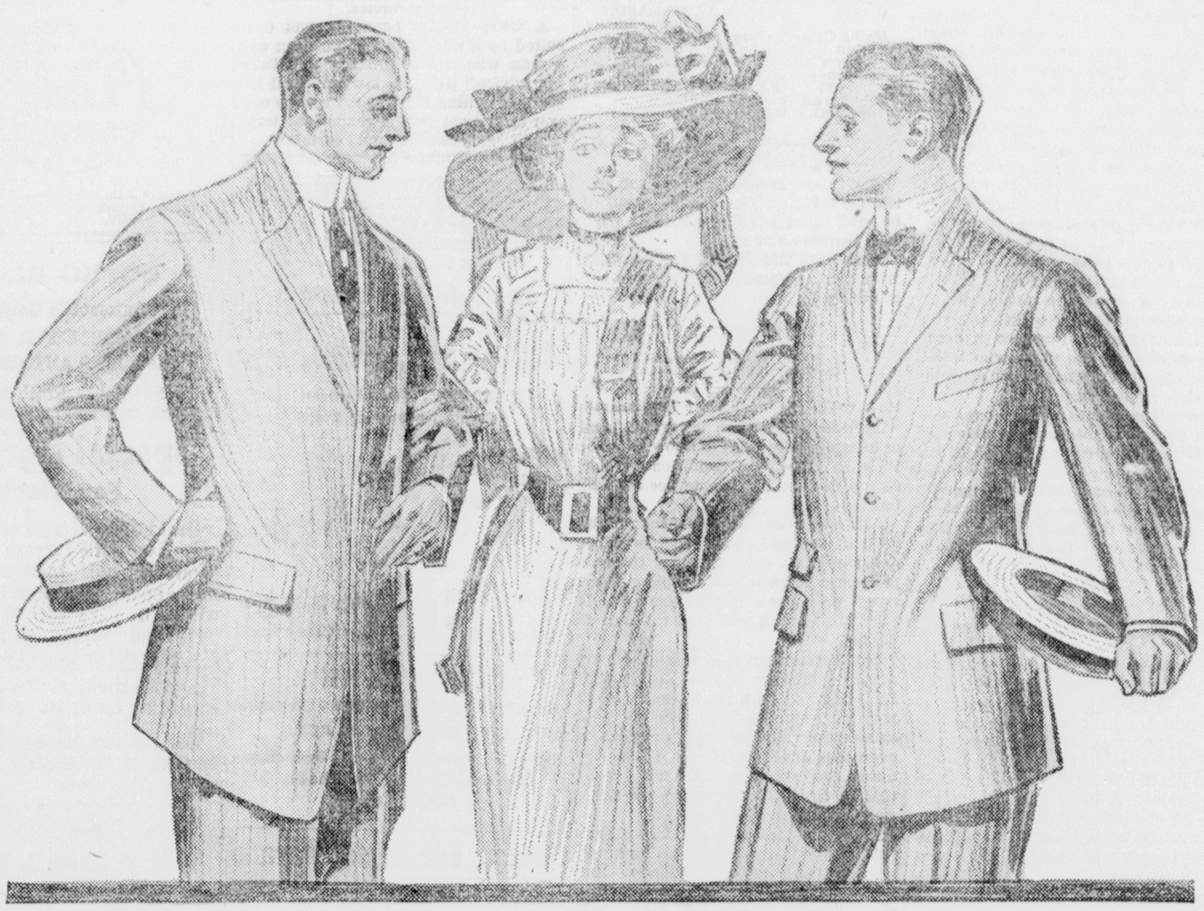

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JOHN CARLSON

UNCLE GETS MARGUERITE

Herbert Welch is Awarded Custody of His Niece, Marguerite Cowles, and Leaves Minneapolis

The Minneapolis Journal gives the last chapter in the exciting experiences of Little Marguerite Cowles, the child acrobat, by stating she will never again appear on the stage. The article continues:

Marguerite Cowles, the 11year-old child acrobat, will never again appear on the stage.

With her uncle, Herbert Welch, of Salem, Mo., the child left Minneapolis last night. She is to be adopted by Mr. Welch and will live with her uncle and her grandfather, F. B. Welch, at Salem.

Taken secretly by her uncle from Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Cowles, her foster parents, who had trained her as an acrobat and who had appeared with her on the stage in an acrobatic act, the girl yesterday told Judge Wilbur F. Booth in district court that she wished to live with her uncle. Mr. and Mrs. Cowles, who had adopted the child, withdrew their objections to a change in the child's custody and signed papers waiving their claim of legal adoption and agreeing that the girl go with her uncle. It was agreed that the girl assume her own name, Mamie Abigail Johns.

Marguerite Cowles has been a member of the Cowles acrobatic troupe for five years. The troupe consisted of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Cowles and the child, who was advertised as the "Marvelous Marguerite." She was adopted by the Cowleses five years ago in Seattle. Her mother agreed to the adoption, but her uncle, Mr. Welch, hearing that the child had been ill-treated, came to Minneapolis last Saturday. He went to the place where the Cowleses were staying, 1831 Fourth avenue S., got the child to enter a waiting carriage and took her to the central police station, pending the action of the courts. He then signed a complaint alleging the child to be a dependent. He asked that she be placed in his custody and asserted that she had been mistreated by the Cowleses. The case was called in juvenile court Monday and it was ruled that a jury should decide whether the Cowleses were proper guardians.

Yesterday Mr. and Mrs. Cowles met Mr. Welch and discussed the case. After a conference, the Cowleses went before Judge Booth and signed a stipulation agreeing that Mr. Welch should be given the custody of the child.

"Marguerite will never again appear on the stage," said Mr. Welch yesterday. "I shall give her a good home and an education."

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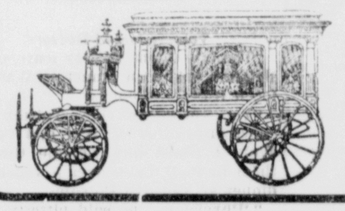

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The Thieves Were There.

A former mayor of New York received a letter one day, apparently from a citizen properly indignant, saying that there was a notorious resort for thieves and vagabonds at the corner of Center and Leonard streets. The mayor passed on the complaint to the chief of police, with a tart order to suppress the evil rendezvous. The chief was somewhat put to it to obey the mandate and returned it with the indorsement: "Complaint well founded. That's the city prison, commonly called the Tombs."

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WANTED—Young man to travel and solicit on iron range. Experience not necessary, but must be worker. Enquire after 6 P. M., S. R. Beaumont, National hotel. 249t2p

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FOR RENT—Unfurnished flat, Pearce block. 249tf

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FOR SALE OR RENT—Eight room house. Inquire at 623 10th St. S. 248t5p

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MISCELLANEOUS

LOST—Parker & Topping pay check No. 49646. Finder please return to Parker & Topping. 247t3p

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—For cows and horses, my residence at address 1103 6th avenue N. E. Brainerd. M. L. Fitch. 251-2p

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Clumsy Breton Women.

To the casual observer the Bretonne is not attractive or even supremely interesting. As a femme de chambre she is clumsy, slovenly and rough of speech, lacking the graces and neatness of her Parisian sister. She shuffles about in felt slippers, her voluminous black skirts catch in everything, and if she waits at the table d'hote her method of handling cutlery is strongly calculated to sever one's jugular vein. She has no regularity in her work, and at the hour that she ought to be making beds she is probably sitting on the public staircase nursing her baby. She is generally married and, conversely, often ten years younger than you take her to be. To English eyes she is rarely beautiful. Her hair is trained tightly under her cap, her cheeks have seldom any delicacy of tint, and her figure and motions are ungainly and awkward.—Wide World Magazine.

Wanted a Sleeper.

A certain physician sat in a box at the theater the other night. It happened that he was the first man to take his seat in that particular box. The next man ushered in had been hitting just a few of the more elevated points in the highway prior to coming to the theater.

"Am I intruding?" he inquired ever so politely of the doctor. "Have you this section engaged all for yourself?"

"No. I haven't got it engaged all for myself. Sit down," replied the doctor brusquely, for he didn't want to encourage the stranger to carry on any extended conversation.

"All right, then," replied the stranger. "If you haven't got the whole section I'll tell the porter to go ahead and let down the upper berth."—Washington Star.

Tolstoy Hated Doctors.

"The late Count Tolstoy loathed physicians," said at a dinner in Washington a Russian diplomat.

"You remember how Tolstoy ridiculed physicians in 'War and Peace?' Well, I heard him ridicule three of them to their faces over a vegetarian dinner at Yasnaya Polyana.

"'Physicians,' he said bitterly, looking up from a plate of lentils, 'may be divided into two classes—the radicals, who kill you, and the conservatives, who let you die.'"

Mental Arithmetic.

"Is your young man gittin' a sal'ry, Melia?"

"Sure he is. An' what's mo', de boss tol' William he's gwine to double it."

"Dat's fine! How much is he gittin' now?"

"I dunno what he's gittin' now, but I speck it's somefin' like half what he's gwinefer git."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Just a Precaution.

"So you are attending cooking school?" says the friend. "Are you going to do your own work?"

"No. I want to be able to teach my husband how to prepare the meals in an emergency."—Judge.

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WILL NOMINATE CRUST FOR MAYOR

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tonight and their convention tomorrow.

The following are the delegates elected by the two parties last night and the aldermen and members of the board of education placed in nomination:

REPUBLICAN CAUCUSES

First Ward. Votes cast 95.

Delegates — Fred Allison, Oscar Hagberg, Ed. Ovig, J. Mudge, H. Turcotte.

Aldermen—C. B. Rowley, 71 votes; C. A. Lagerquist, 63 votes.

Board of Education—Louis Hohman.

Chairman, A. G. Lagerquist; clerk Arthur Drogseth; judge, William Turcotte; Judge, Charles Blomquist.

Cast the highest vote of any ward in the city in any caucus.

Second Ward. Votes cast 73.

Delegates—A. J. Halsted, A. D. Polk, D. K. Fullerton, R. A. Beise, F. W. Wieland, R. J. Hartley, C. E. Cole, J. A. Thabes and H. L. Jones.

Aldermen—Ezra Smith and E. O. Webb.

Board of Education—R. J. Hartley.

Chairman, C. A. Allbright; clerk, William Nelson; judge, C. A. Ruffee; judge, Peter Walters.

Third Ward. Votes cast 22.

Delegates—G. H. Woerner, Con Isle, Sr.; Rufe Peterson; K. McDonald and Ed. Anderson.

Aldermen—Tim Toohey and Geo. Halladay.

Board of Education—Hugo Kaatz.

Chairman—Hugo A. Kaatz; clerk, G. H. Woerner; judge Jacob Strickler; judge, Albert J. Forsythe.

Fourth Ward. Votes cast 25.

Delegates—K. S. Bredenberg, J. A. Erickson, August Erickson, Thomas Evans, W. T. McCloskey and G. S. Swanson.

Aldermen—P. M. Zakariasen and P. G. Fogelstrom.

Board of Education—H. Squires.

Chairman—G. S. Swanson; clerk, Henry Squires; judge, Jep Thompson; judge, W. T. McCloskey.

Fifth Ward. Votes cast 38.

Delegates—John Larson, J. F. Vaughn, F. H. Gruenhagen, H. H. Baker, E. H. Huseman, A. Purdy.

Aldermen—W. F. Diechaus and Alfred G. Schnell.

Board of Education—H. H. Baker.

Chairman—J. F. Vaughn; clerk, K. W. Lagerquist; judge, Dan Doran; judge, E. H. Husemann.

SOCIALIST CAUCUSES

First Ward. Cast 17 votes.

Delegates—James McMannis and Charles H. Heath.

Alderman—James McMannis and Charles H. Heath.

Chairman—John Witham; clerk, John Schell; judge, George Schilb; judge, Atkinson.

Second Ward. Cast 10 votes.

Delegates—A. A. Weideman, P. B. Smart and H. Weideman.

Alderman—Herman Weideman.

Chairman—R. B. Smart; clerk, Sam Betts; judge, A. A. Weideman; judge, Herman Weideman.

Third Ward. Cast 21 votes.

Delegates—M. Siegel, N. W. Olson, F. H. Jones, R. A. Henning, J. W. Welch and S. R Lind.

Aldermen—N. W. Olson and R. A Henning.

Chairman—F. H. Jones; clerk, N. W. Betzold; judge, M. Seigel; judge, A. W. Hagedorn.

Fourth Ward. Cast 18 votes.

Delegates—Joe Nelson and Al. Swanson.

Aldermen—A. L. Anderson and Henry Moilanen.

Board of Education—J. H. Roderick

Chairman—J. H. Roderick; clerk, Fred A. Eckholm; judge, A. C. Ford; judge, P. J. Kjellquist.

Fifth Ward. Cast 56 votes.

Delegates—S. W. Quinn, Art Witham and J. W. Gabiou.

Aldermen—J. W. Gabiou and J. B. Wilmar.

Chairman—S. W. Quinn; clerk, J. H. Kelly; judge, Art Witham; judge, J. W. Gabiou.

So Settled.

"Yes, I am opposed to American girls marryin' furriners," said old Mrs. Sipes. "I'm jist that opposed to it that if my girls can't marry people of their own sex they needn't marry at all, and that's all there is about it!"—Lippincott's.

SONGS BY WIRELESS.

Experiment In Telephoning Made by Harvard Students.

Members of the Harvard Wireless club are winning success in their experiments with wireless telephoning.

Conversation, songs and instrumental music on the graphophone have been flashed from the Harvard college station in Jefferson hall to the stations of the members, where it was said to be reproduced with absolute clearness. By using electric current of high frequency alternation in connection with wireless telephony distances up to forty miles have been negotiated successfully.

As for long distance telegraph records, the members of the society feel that they have no reason to complain. R. B. Wolverton, the manager of the club, has picked up messages from Milwaukee, Chicago and Tampa, Fla. Occasionally he is able to hear messages from Key West.

Irrigation Opening India.

The canal system of the Punjab, India, is not only opening up that province to profitable cultivation and thereby making homes for millions of people, but it is a source of revenue to the government to the extent of 12½ per cent on the capital invested. The mileage is 4,495, irrigating an area of 6,749,607 acres.

KNIFING AN ERMINE.

Cold Trick That Traps the Shy Little Fur Prize.

You are doubtless aware that the ermine of which your muff is made has been the emblem of royalty almost since royalty began, in Russia, until very recent years, its use being forbidden to those not of noble birth. But I wonder if you are likewise aware that it is brother, or at least first cousin, to the weasel. Ermine, as a matter of fact, is nothing more than the weasel or common stoat in its northern coat, for, like other arctic and subarctic animals, the weasel turns white in winter in order that it may be as inconspicuous as possible in its environment of ice and snow. Yet so abnormally keen of sight are the Siberian trappers that they can distinguish at almost incredible distances the little black tip of the ermine's tail as it whisks across the dazzling plains.

It is very shy, is the ermine, and special snares must be devised by the trapper to avoid injuring the delicate skin. Even the smallest of the steel traps are too heavy for such tiny animals as these, and here it is that the trapper's fertility of resource is most strikingly displayed. Smearing a little grease on his hunting knife, he lays it across the succession of dots and dashes which show that an ermine has passed that way. Along comes the tiny white form on its erratic course again. The grease appeals to it, and it begins to lick the knife blade, which in those far northern lands, where the mercury drops to 20, 30, 40 degrees below zero, is inconceivably cold. Did you never as a child on a winter's morning put your tongue to some piece of metal only to find that it did not easily come away? So it is then with the ermine, whose tiny red tongue is instantly frozen to the steel as though with glue. The knife being too heavy for the little animal to carry off, it can only wait until the trapper comes upon his rounds, and you, my lady, have a muff of snowy unmarred skins.—E. A. Powell, F. R. G. S., in Everybody's.

QUEER STREET NAMES.

One Feature In Which Brussels Outdoes London or Paris.

There are many bewildering street names in European cities, and of these London presents a bewildering variety. Bermondsey possesses a Pickle Herring street. Near Gray's inn there is to be found a Cold Bath square. Most of the Nightingale lanes and Love lanes are hidden, ironically enough, in the slums of the east end of the British capital.

In Brussels some of the street names are really bizarre. The Short Street of the Long Chariot, the Street of the Red Haired Women and the Street of Sorrows are remarkable enough to catch the least observant eye. The Street of the One Person is, as one might guess, an extremely narrow one. But the cream of the Brussels street name surely belongs to the Street of the Uncracked Silver Cocoanut. This in the original appears as one ponderous word of thirty-six letters.

The 7,000 inhabitants of the Rue des Mauvais Garcons signed a petition praying that the name of the street be changed. They contended that the denomination of the thoroughfare in which they reside produces a bad impression on those to whom they are obliged to give their address.

This Street of the Bad Boys was, it appears, so named in the sixteenth century because of the noisy character of its inhabitants. But now it needs no such designation, those who reside there being for the most part peaceful and respectable citizens.

Among the peculiar street names in Paris may be mentioned the Street of the Little Windows, the Street of the Mule's Foot, the Street of the Holy Fathers, the Street of the Daughters of Calvary, the Street of the Dry Tree, the Street of the Empty Pocket and the Boulevard of the Good News.—Harper's Weekly.

Booksellers' English.

Booksellers' English is sometimes a peculiar product. In a recent catalogue the author of a work under the heading of "Mystical Theology" is referred to in a footnote as "next to Ignatius Loyola, perhaps the greatest soul sexton that ever handled shovel." The simile is startling and not quite intelligible to the lay understanding. But it is in reference to a volume of church music that this bookseller really lets himself go. "Religious harmony must be moving, but noble withal; grave, solemn, seraphic, fit for a martyr to play and an angel to hear."—London Chronicle.

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The Grotesque.

Canon Alnger, biographer and editor of Charles Lamb, once uttered this pithy saying: "You may preach like an angel, but if you can whistle on a stick people ignore your preaching and speak of you as 'the man who can whistle on a stick.'"

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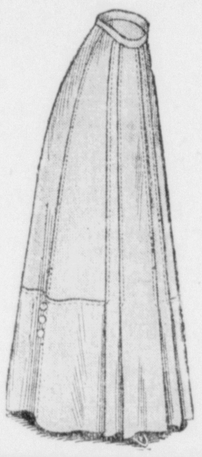

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A witty Dublin barrister was consulted by a physician as to calling out a man who had insulted him. "Take my advice," said the lawyer, "and instead of calling him out get him to call you in and get your revenge that way. It will be more secure and certain."

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